

## Mackinac Bridge October Traffic Report

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**November 8, 2004**

Robert J. Sweeney, Executive Secretary of the Mackinac Bridge Authority, reported today that 399,089 vehicles crossed the Mackinac Bridge during the month of October. This represents a 3.6 percent decrease when compared to the 414,199 crossings during October 2003.

Traffic for the first ten months of 2004 is running 2.0 percent behind last year's pace; 3,879,807 vehicles versus 3,960,494 in 2003.

	Traffic	Traffic	%	Fare	Fare	%
	<u>2004</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>Inc.</u>	<u>Revenues</u>	<u>Revenues</u>	<u>Change</u>
				<u>2004</u>	<u>2003</u>	
January	212,333	230,336	-7.8	\$830,055	\$601,273	38.0
February	232,806	226,199	2.9	\$890,450	\$581,708	53.1
March	240,155	245,427	-2.1	\$935,326	\$617,334	51.5
April	267,077	246,102	8.5	\$976,690	\$612,611	59.4
May	355,780	370,850	-4.1	\$1,254,333	\$1,323,354	-5.2
June	444,780	464,103	-4.2	\$1,518,382	\$1,591,969	-4.6
July	633,202	638,341	-0.8	\$2,013,377	\$2,066,571	-2.6
August	608,244	673,205	-9.6	\$1,957,517	\$2,139,152	-8.5
September	486,341	451,732	7.7	\$1,635,948	\$1,541,121	6.2
October	399,089	414,199	-3.6	\$1,366,595	\$1,428,206	-4.3